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All persons are by nature free and independent, and have certain natural and unalienable rights, among which are those of enjoying and defending life and liberty, of acquiring, possessing, and protecting property, and of pursuing and obtaining safety and happiness.

-- Article 1, Section 1, New Jersey State Constitution

In Guns We Trust

By Richard Morin

We all know why so many law-abiding Americans own guns: Some buy them for protection against crime. Others collect them as objets d'art. Some love to hunt or target shoot.

But two Ohio State University researchers argue there's another significant factor behind America's infatuation with firearms: Many Americans who own guns don't trust the federal government.

Sociology professors Robert M. Jiobu and Timothy J. Curry assert that this mistrust complicates government efforts to control the sale and possession of guns. In fact, they suggest that gun control laws may have exactly the opposite effect: "To mandate decreased gun ownership through gun control legislation may only encourage those people who have little faith in the government to stockpile weapons," they claim in the Summer 2001 issue of *Social Science Quarterly*.

Curry and Jiobu analyzed data collected between 1988 and 1996 from the General Social Survey (GSS), the nation's most closely watched barometer of social trends. The survey included questions about gun ownership and three questions that asked how much confidence people have in the executive branch of government, in the Supreme Court and in Congress.

Overall, the researchers found that 44 percent of the more than 6,000 respondents had "hardly any" confidence in at least one of the government branches -- "significantly more than expressed

similar levels of mistrust in the 1960s," Curry said.

They also found that those who mistrusted all branches of the federal government were significantly more likely to own a gun (37 percent) than those who trusted all three (23 percent) -- a finding that remained strong even after they controlled for relevant variables such as political ideology, gender, age, education, general fear of crime, whether the respondents had been crime victims in the previous year, whether they or someone in their household hunted, what region of the country they lived in and whether they lived in a city, in the suburbs or in a rural area.

"If a policy goal of the federal government is to decrease gun ownership among the general population, then our results suggest that increasing trust in government ought to be an equally important goal," Jiobu and Curry wrote.

--*Washington Post*

A Curry a Day Keeps Crime at Bay

LONDON (Reuters) - It has become a highly sought after job for London's police officers -- going undercover and dining at top restaurants in case any waiters are racially abused by customers.

Instead of pounding the streets up to 20 officers settled down to eat at 10 Indian, Chinese, Thai and Yugoslav restaurants in London's West End over the weekend, the *London Times* reported.

"We have had a lot of volunteers," Detective Chief

Inspector Brett Lovegrove, head of a hate-crime prevention unit, was quoted as saying.

"My officers are working in partnership with local restaurant owners and their staff to ensure that a pleasant evening out remains just that for all involved. This means it is bad news for the racists.

"Our officers are keen on spending the night in a nice restaurant with a meal and a soft drink -- no alcohol allowed, of course."

Wildlands Project & UN Convention on Biological Diversity

The Wildlands Project, a UN-accredited non-government organization headquartered in Tucson, Arizona, would put one-half of America into core wilderness reserves connected by corridors (red on the map at the URL below), all surrounded by interconnecting buffer zones (yellow). No human activity would be permitted in the red, and only highly regulated activity would be permitted in the yellow areas.

Activists from Sovereignty International were able to find UN documentation that proved the Wildlands Project concept was to be the basis for the UN Convention on Biological Diversity. Armed with this information and the map produced by Dr. Michael Coffman, editor of *Discerning the Times Digest* and *NewsBytes* and CEO of Sovereignty International, they stopped the ratification of the treaty an hour before its scheduled vote in the US

Senate. (See Congressional Record S13790)

Since the treaty was stopped, tens of thousands of Americans have used this map to expose environmentalist's efforts to implement this diabolical agenda.

http://www.discerningtoday.org/wil_dlands_map_of_us.htm

Ed.: Nonetheless the federal government is implementing the Wildlands Project piecemeal. The National Park Service plans to connect parks, forests and refuges with "greenways" to permit animals to migrate back and forth over what is now private property. This would be financed by CARA (HR 701) the Condemnation and Relocation Act that would provide \$45 billion over 15 years.

Kofi's Quips & Quotes

U.N. Secretary General Kofi Annan called the treaty creating a permanent world court "a gift of hope to future generations and a giant step forward in the march toward universal human rights and the rule of law."

The International Criminal Court, which became effective in 2002, trashes the Bill of Rights. The accused can't subpoena witnesses. They have no right to confront their accusers. Trials can be held in secret. There is no jury, just a panel of foreign judges. And the judges' decision -- which can be made by a simple majority -- can't be appealed.

Furthermore, the "crimes" you can be accused of include things like "violating the dignity of an individual" and causing "excessive damage to the environment."

In short, this is exactly the kind of political kangaroo court third-world dictators use to punish opponents. Yet even though the U.S. refused to ratify the treaty and President George W. Bush even rescinded Bill Clinton's signature on it, U.S. citizens -- including U.S. military personnel -- are now under the jurisdiction of this court!

"Semantics: What Words Do You Understand?"

By Chuck Klein

"LIBERTARIAN: A person who believes in full individual freedom and very limited size and role of government. It has been said that a Republican is one who was robbed

last night; a Democrat is one who was arrested last night; and a Libertarian is the one who shot the person robbing him."

-- *Guns & Ammo*, September 2001

Southern Baptist Blasts Islam

ST. LOUIS - (AP) - The Rev. Jerry Vines, pastor of First Baptist Church of Jacksonville, Fla., told several thousand Southern Baptist conventioners that many of this country's problems can be blamed on religious pluralism.

Pluralists "would have us to believe that Islam is just as good as Christianity, but I'm here to tell you, ladies and gentlemen, that Islam is not just as good as Christianity.

"Islam was founded by Muhammad, a demon-possessed pedophile who had 12 wives - and the last one was a 9-year-old girl. And I will tell you Allah is not Jehovah, either. Jehovah's not going to turn you into a terrorist that'll try to bomb people and take the lives of thousands and thousands of people."

Ibrahim Hooper, a spokesman for the Washington-based Council on American-Islamic Relations said, "It's really unfortunate that a top leader in a mainstream Christian church ... would use such hate-filled and bigoted language in describing the faith of one-fifth of the world's population. This is the level of bigotry that requires a clear statement from the leadership of the Southern Baptist Convention."

The Rev. Jack Graham, elected the SBC's new president, refused to repudiate Vines' comments. "His statement is actually a statement that can be confirmed.

"I believe the statement is an accurate statement," he said, adding that people should be careful, "just who you are following and what you believe."

-- Newark *Star-Ledger*, June 12, 2002

19-40) Military Police Internment/Resettlement Operations

Headquarters
Department of the Army
Washington, DC, 1 August 2001

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Ed: Do you have plans for the future? Our Government does.

Hi, Folks

I would like to tell you about our Advanced Taser, it has been proven in police studies to have a higher instant incapacitation rate than a 9mm handgun! Many

Field Manual 3-19.40 (FM

In the beginning of change the patriot is a scarce man, brave, hated and scorned. When his cause succeeds, however, the timid join him, for then it costs nothing to be a patriot. - Mark Twain

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Wisconsin

CITIES WHERE TASERS AND STUN GUNS ARE RESTRICTED:

Annapolis, Md
Baltimore, Md
Baltimore County, Md
Chicago, Il
District Of Columbia
Philadelphia

Body of Secrets

In the early 1960s, America's top military leaders reportedly drafted plans to kill innocent people and commit acts of terrorism in U.S. cities to create public support for a war against Cuba.

Code named Operation Northwoods, the plans reportedly included the possible assassination

of Cuban émigrés, sinking boats of Cuban refugees on the high seas, hijacking planes, blowing up a U.S. ship, and even orchestrating violent terrorism in U.S. cities.

The plans were developed as ways to trick the American public and the international community into supporting a war to oust Cuba's then new leader, communist Fidel Castro.

America's top military brass even contemplated causing U.S. military casualties, writing: "We could blow up a U.S. ship in Guantanamo Bay and blame Cuba," and, "casualty lists in U.S. newspapers would cause a helpful wave of national indignation."

Details of the plans are described in *Body of Secrets* by investigative reporter James Bamford about the history of America's largest spy agency, the National Security Agency. However, the plans were not connected to the agency, he notes.

The plans had the written approval of all of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and were presented to President Kennedy's defense secretary, Robert McNamara, in March 1962. But they apparently were rejected by the civilian leadership and have gone undisclosed for nearly 40 years.

"These were Joint Chiefs of Staff documents. The reason these were held secret for so long is the Joint Chiefs never wanted to give these up because they were so embarrassing," Bamford told ABCNEWS.com.

Gunning for War

The documents show "the Joint Chiefs of Staff drew up and approved plans for what may be the most corrupt plan ever created by the U.S. government," writes Bamford.

The Joint Chiefs even proposed using the potential death of astronaut John Glenn during the first attempt to put an American into orbit as a false pretext for war with Cuba, the documents show. Should the rocket explode and kill Glenn, they wrote, "the objective is to provide irrevocable proof ... that the fault lies with the Communists et al Cuba [sic]."

Reflecting this, the U.S. plan called for establishing prolonged military — not democratic — control over the island nation after the invasion.

The Joint Chiefs at the time were headed by Eisenhower appointee Army Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, who, with the signed plans in hand made a pitch to McNamara on March 13, 1962, recommending Operation Northwoods be run by the military.

Even after Lemnitzer was gone, he writes, the Joint Chiefs continued to plan "pretext" operations at least through 1963.

One idea was to create a war between Cuba and another Latin American country so that the United States could intervene. Another was to pay someone in the Castro government to attack U.S. forces at the Guantanamo naval base — an act, which Bamford notes, would have amounted to treason. And another was to fly low level U-2 flights over Cuba, with the intention of having one shot down as a pretext for a war.

Ironically, the documents came to light, says Bamford, in part because of the 1992 Oliver Stone film *JFK*, which examined the possibility of a conspiracy behind the assassination of President Kennedy.

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http://abcnews.go.com/sections/us/DailyNews/jointchiefs_010501.html

Liberals' Loony Logic Fizzles Under The Gun

By Steve Dunleavy

It is amazing how liberals, whom I regard as traitors in this time of crisis, like to quote the Constitution. I was talking to Donna Lieberman, the interim executive of the New York Civil Liberties Union, and I wanted to call for a psychiatrist.

The First Amendment, freedom of speech, she goes to bed with. It is her Bible, her Koran, her Ten Commandments.

She might dislike what the Aryan Nation or the Nazis say about African-Americans, Jews or Catholics, but they have a perfect right to say it, according to her.

So I asked her about the Second Amendment, the right to bear arms, as she rudely chomped on something and talked on the telephone.

"I will have to get back to you on that, I have spoken to you in the past," she said. In the past, she wasn't so sure about the right to bear arms. "We would be better without that," she said in the past.

In other words, she wanted it like a menu: choose one amendment from column A, one from column B.

"I will have to give this some thought. But I will get back to you."

The telephone has been as silent as the restless souls under the rubble.

Love those liberals, pal.

The Seven Myths of Gun Control

Reviewed by Phil Brennan

"A well-regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms shall not be infringed." - Second Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

Who is a member of the "well-regulated militia" the Constitution cites in the Second Amendment? If you are an able-bodied male between the ages of 16 and 60, you are.

When confronted by the U.S. Constitution's Second Amendment guaranteeing the right of the people to bear arms, America's anti-gun fanatics falsely argue that the amendment applies only to militia men such as members of National Guard units.

In his extraordinary book *The Seven Myths of Gun Control* (Forum, 2001), author Richard Poe demolishes that argument so thoroughly that anyone who continues to cite it should be looked upon as either stupid, misinformed or absolutely dishonest.

You can count Clinton-era Justice Department lawyer William J. Mateja among those who claim the word "militia" as used in the Second Amendment means solely members of the National Guard.

Arguing before a federal court, Mateja distorted the meaning when he answered "Yes" when Judge William L. Garwood asked, "Is it the position of the United States that persons who are not in the National Guard are afforded no protection under the Second Amendment?" (That position has since been reversed by Attorney General John Ashcroft.)

And as one authority in opposition to this erroneous view Poe cites one of the nation's leading liberals, Harvard law professor Lawrence Tribe who shocked his leftist comrades by insisting that the amendment means

that every American has the right of gun ownership.

When he endorsed the right of Americans to "possess and use firearms in defense of themselves and their homes" and went on to maintain that "the federal government may not disarm individual citizens without some unusually strong justification," he set off a firestorm among his liberal friends and colleagues.

"I've gotten an avalanche of angry mail from apparent liberals who said, 'How could you?'" he recalled.

But Tribe was not alone among distinguished Americans such as the men who were there when Second Amendment was written, such as Patrick Henry, who argued that "The great object is that every man be armed ..."

Or Richard Henry Lee, who said, "To preserve liberty it is essential that the whole body of the people always possess arms, and be taught alike, especially when young, how to use them."

Poe cited a speech in the House during the debates concerning adoption of the bill of rights that sets out the clear meaning of the Second Amendment:

"As civil rulers, not having their duty to the people duly before them, may attempt to tyrannize, and as the military forces which must occasionally be raised to defend our country, might pervert their power to the injury of their fellow citizens, the people are confirmed by the next article in their right to keep and bear their private arms."

Poe explores the history of the militia concept, showing how it applied, for example, in the case of the Minute Men, armed citizens who formed the backbone of the colonial forces who won our liberty.

After the American Revolution it was understood that the militia - specifically consisting of men between the ages of 16 and 60 as mentioned above - constituted the force that would prevent the new government from becoming a tyranny.

Said Noah Webster, "The supreme power in America cannot enforce unjust laws by the sword because the body of the people are armed ..."

During the debates about the adoption of the Bill of Rights delegate members of the Anti-Federalist forces demanded that the

10 amendments include one that would guarantee the right, as Patrick Henry put it, "that every man be armed ..."

The result was the Second Amendment, and its meaning was as clear as a bell - that all Americans have the right to keep and bear arms. All Americans!

Poe's book systematically demolishes the most prevalent myths used by the anti-gun fanatics. They are:

Guns increase violent crime.

Pulling a gun on a criminal endangers you more than a criminal.

Guns pose a special threat to children.

The Second Amendment applies only to militiamen.

The Second Amendment is an obsolete relic of the frontier era.

We should treat guns the same way we treat cars, requiring licenses for all users.

Reasonable gun-control measures are no threat to law-abiding gun owners.

Says Poe: "We stand at a crossroads today. For the first time since our Constitution was drafted, a major component of the Bill of Rights - the right to keep and bear arms - is in danger of being jettisoned."

If you want to help keep that disaster from happening, get a copy of *The Seven Myths of Gun Control* and use what he has written to disarm the people who want to disarm you, by countering their specious arguments point by point.

Jersey's Killer Cops

DOVER TOWNSHIP, N.J. (AP)

- Police say the first of two rounds of mayhem in Dover Township occurred at the hands of John W. Mabie, 70, a former Newark police officer who shot and killed his granddaughter and then went to each of his next-door neighbors' homes, fatally shooting three others on Feb. 21.

On April 9, Edward L. Lutes Jr., 42, a veteran SWAT police officer in nearby Seaside Heights, walked out of his house and into the homes of two neighbors with whom he had feuded. Armed with a police-issue MP5 submachine gun, police said he fatally shot Dominick Galliano, 51, wife Gail Galliano, 49, and their son, Christopher Galliano, 25.

After the Gallianos were dead, Lutes allegedly walked across

the street and killed Gary Williams, 48, and his wife, Tina Williams, 46.

Dominick Galliano had been acquitted of sexually assaulting Lutes' daughter.

Gary Williams had testified on behalf of Galliano at his trial.

After killing his neighbors, Lutes drove to Barnegat, where police said he shot his boss Seaside Heights Police Chief James Costello in the wrist and the leg.

The blood bath ended when Lutes shot himself.

Neither Dover Township Police Chief Michael Mastronardy nor Executive Assistant Ocean County Prosecutor Gregory Sakowicz would say what prompted the shooting spree.

Seaside Heights Fire Chief Reece Fisher said Lutes was devastated by his fiancée's death a year ago.

In the Mabie case, acquaintances said the former officer had been tortured by the memory of a 1970 traffic accident in which his station wagon struck a go-cart, killing an 11-year-old boy.

"They're out of the blue, these things," said Pam Meagher, 40, a mother of two. "Now, you have to worry not only about crazies running around, but also police officers. It's upsetting."

Ed.: the only NJ mass murderers in memory are (apparently) police officers, one of whom was armed with a taxpayer-provided submachine gun. But where was the media outrage at "assault rifles" and the murder of 9 people? Instead of outrage the spin was "cops in crisis".

So, having denied the people of NJ machine submachine guns with which to defend themselves against such police officers what more do our protectors have in store for us? The NJ State Association of Chiefs of Police is developing a program to spot "troubled officers." One of the warning signs is "several civilian complaints over a short period of time." The next door victims of alleged killer Lutes had their tires slashed on several occasions but the "civilian complaints" couldn't be found at the police department. No complaints, no problem.

See the next article for an account of how a former NYPD cop is apparently involved in arming UN foreign nationals in New York City with MP5 submachine guns.

Assault rifles for Annan guards investigated

NEW YORK — The U.S. government is investigating whether the United Nations illegally imported and issued paramilitary assault rifles to Secretary-General Kofi Annan's security detail.

Sources in the U.N. say Annan's personal protective detail have been using the German-made MP5 submachine guns since 1998.

U.N. officials say that the use of the highly restricted firearm has been cleared with U.S. authorities.

But Mike Campbell, a spokesman for the BATF, confirmed that an inquiry into the U.N. personnel's use of the weapon was initiated in February, 2002.

The dispute is made even more sensitive by the fact that Mr. Annan himself led a U.N. effort last summer to stem the production and sale of small arms around the world.

"There is no single tool of conflict so widespread, so easily available and so difficult to restrict as small arms," Mr. Annan told a special meeting of the Security Council in July.

The MP5, described by its German manufacturer Heckler and Koch GmbH as a "paramilitary assault rifle" commonly used by police SWAT squads, is just one of several varieties of assault weapons currently in the possession of the United Nations, said one U.N. official who spoke on the condition of anonymity.

Mr. Campbell said importation of the submachine gun is tightly controlled, and normally restricted to law enforcement agencies.

The United States does not consider the U.N. security service a law-enforcement organization and thus deems it ineligible to possess weapons such as the MP5, according to a State Department official who said the UN's request to purchase the MP5 in early 1998 was refused. Just how Mr. Annan's security detail obtained the weapons is the focus of the U.S. government probe.

Michael McCann, a US citizen and veteran of the NYPD who has directed U.N. security operations since 1994, refused to comment on the issue, but U.N. spokesman Fred Eckhard denied any wrongdoing.

Although the United States cannot control the use of such weapons inside the U.N. compound, U.S. laws do apply if the weapons are carried outside.

Documents obtained by *The Washington Times* indicate that U.N. submachine guns frequently leave U.N. headquarters, accompanying Mr. Annan on trips around the New York area and for use in target-practice sessions for U.N. officers at a shooting range on Long Island.

Currently, the United Nations has more than 20 officers in the MP5 qualification program. The majority of participants are foreign nationals, which has raised additional concerns

-- *Washington Times*, Feb. 21, 2002

Good-day,

Will you please consider giving a few moments of your time to review this form letter which is being sent to some of your fellow American patriot organizations. The intent of this letter is to hopefully generate the concept of creating a well unified committee using the expertise of each organization so that we may have a stronger chance of recapturing the true spirit of liberty.

All too long, we as a people have been divided. In this state of division, not only the government expands its control over our lives, and I might add, with very little resistance, but a sense of being helpless prevails amongst our fellow countrymen. As I see it, the only way that the spirit of liberty can truly penetrate this tyrannical system that has ruled over our lives for decades, is to establish a well organized committee of safety.

Recent history is our witness, patriotic individuals and organizations have produced, over all, unsuccessful actions against this well established system. Without any solid victories, this leaves our fellow countrymen, who believe that all is lost, in a state of apathy. Thus, the potential of gaining their strong support remains closed. It also dampens the spirit of those good Americans who have labored long and hard for that precious jewel of freedom. Through a strong committee of safety, which will be made from organizations throughout the country, the potential to develop a devastating blow to this unjust system can become a reality!

May I suggest, that your organization contact other organizations in your state and develop meetings to hammer out agreeable goals. These ideas, from all the participating states, will be negotiated at a national committee of safety by representatives from each state. There, a workable strategy will be developed to provide the best avenue possible.

A state of war against the principles our liberties which are outlined in our Declaration of Independence has existed for a long time. Therefore, it is time that we lay aside the division that has destroyed our Republic and work to recapture our same common denominator which is expressed in the preambles to our constitutions, federal and state, and proclaiming as one without any reservation, ***Give Me Liberty or Give me Death!*** Again please consider this approach before the door of opportunity slams shut. Thanking you in advance, and,
In the cause of freedom,
ABC

Ed.: we're protecting the identity of the patriot ABC - or are those his real initials after all? Anti-militia traitors in the FBI and ADL would do him harm if they could by putting him in their respective databases.

Who?

Who will carry the flag if the need should come?
Who will shout out the truth and beat freedom's drum?
Who will walk in the footsteps great men have left?
When of their cherished presence we've been bereft?

Who will then be their voice to sing
The truth they taught and make it ring
The louder for our loss and show
We'll never bow before the foe
But only bolder, stronger turn
Our anguish into fury, burn

Like fire through their fleeing ranks,
A raging creek that's left its banks
And sweep them from our land and home,
And bury them beneath the foam?

Oh that ten thousand more would rise,
Fire in their hearts, light in their eyes,
Raise their voices up to the skies -
That the song unceasing would go on,
As we fight forward to freedom's dawn!

-- By DE, 2001 A.D., GDW!

Cleaning Your Main Battle Rifle

Most rifle malfunctions are a result of either bad ammo or something related to cleaning. Regarding cleaning here's the top 10 tasks you can do to extend the life of your weapon.

1) Always clean your rifle in the horizontal position trigger up if possible. You need a good holder or padded vise for the best results.

2) Do not use jointed cleaning rods. The jointed rods in the buttstock of your MBR are for gun and run scenarios. Treat that stuff like the toy tire that is in the trunk of your car that is used to get you to the nearest tire store. Use a one piece Dewey coated rod with a cleaning rod guide.

3) Do not mix cleaning solvents or use two different solvents in the same cleaning procedure. It may cause a chemical reaction and harm the barrel.

4) Do NOT use aluminum body or stainless steel brushes to clean your barrel. Use brass body, bronze bristle bore brushes instead.

5) If possible always clean from the breech end of your rifle. Of course, on the M1, M1A, SKS and AK weapons, this is impossible for all intents and purposes.

6) If you use copper plated bullets, remember to use a solvent that will break copper down.

7) The chamber is the most neglected area in the average cleaning process and dirty chambers are a major cause of malfunctions - especially deadly ones

8) The day after the cleaning, you want to run a couple of patches through the barrel just to make sure it is clean and dry. Perhaps a drop of solvent on the first one (and be stingy a drop is all you need.)

9) Soaking your gun in oil is NOT a good idea. There are only a few areas that need any oil and then a small drop is more than enough. Oil attracts dust and dirt so use it sparingly.

10) Always remember that the first things you want to give attention and the last things too in the cleaning and storing process are the barrel and chamber.

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There is a point at which the law becomes immoral and unethical. That point is reached when it becomes a cloak for the cowardice that dares not stand up against blatant violations of justice. A state that suppresses all freedom of speech, and which by imposing the most terrible punishments, treats each and every attempt at criticism, however morally justified, and every suggestion for improvement as plotting to high treason, is a state that breaks an unwritten law.

-- Kurt Huber, university student and head of White Rose, executed by the Nazis in 1943

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Ed.: psyops is the reason we published our June issue ahead of May. We're trying to confuse the enemy!

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